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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Madam:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 13, 2009, Applicant hereby elects Group I, drawn to compounds wherein R<sub>A</sub> and R<sub>B</sub> together with the ring form a 1*H*-imidazo[4,5-*c*]quinoline and no additional heterocycle is present, and compositions thereof, for prosecution in the present application. Furthermore, Applicant elects the compound of Example 82:

as the species for search purposes. The claims encompassing the elected species include claims 2, 4, 5, 14, 19, 20, 21, 23, 26, 27, 28, and 35.

Having made the election, Applicant expressly reserves the right to pursue the subject matter of the non-elected claims in one or more future applications claiming priority to the present application.

If there is a fee occasioned by this response that is not covered, please change any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825, under Docket No. C1271.70032US01, from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: August 13, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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